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Applicant	: Johanna Bentz	
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AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

In response to the Advisory Action dated January 9, 2008, and the final Office Action dated September 17, 2007, please enter this response and reconsider the claims pending in the application for reasons discussed below.

This response is accompanied by a petition for two-month time extension under 37 CFR 1.136(a), which extends the period for response to March 17, 2008. This response is also accompanied by a request for continued examination. The applicable fees are being paid through EFS-Web.

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